TO MAKE

Mr. Wilder's Spicy Column of the Latest Jokes in the The-

Pretty Agnes Miller ran up to me the other day in a great state of excitement. There's a deal of truth in this joke of the Russell Brothers at Weber and the matter and restored peace.

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Merrily yours,

"Which is worth the most—a horse or heard.

There was a boy who was very bad, and as man?"

"A man of course." his mother tried to punish him. He ran "A man, of course." "You're wrong. A horse is valuable woodshed. He stayed there until his fath when he's broken, but a man that's broken woodshed. He stayed there until his father creame home, when the mother told him of his son's behavior. The old man grabbed a strap, and was crawling under the shed after the boy, who, seeing his father coming, inquired: 'Is she after you, too, pop?' '... He stayed him has broken, but a his father is no use to anybody."

In "Gay Mr. Lightfoot," at the Bijou, W. H. Thompson says a husband is like an egg—the longer he's kept in hot water, the harder he gets.

Then she called me a mean old thing.

That reminds me that I have discovered a new humorist in the person of Horry Du Val, the able secretary of Dr. Chauncay M. Depew. He let me into a few secrets the other night by which he purposes to expolutionize science. He has a many control of the co revolutionize science. He is going to try to graft milk weeds on strawberry vines, so that the people can have berries and cream at the same time. He suggested also that bees should be crossed with lightning bugs to that the honey gatherers can work at eight. If contipedes could be made to breed with hogs, he argued, the price of

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Music Hall exchange this bit of repartee: "What awoke you? The heat?"

Daly and Devere, at Keith's, discuss ngain? I should think you would stay out." ingle to honor your busband's memory." "Sure, you can't take memory in your time for you to go to sea again?"

"That's because he's lantern-jawed."

Lew Dockstader, at Koster and "Hoosier Doctor," asked his girl what she would do if she "Hoosier Doctor," office man, smilingly.

It was too bad to disenchant her, but Here's one of Fritz Williams's latest: I had to do it. "That is, or rather was, Business was slack in a cafe adjoining a good story when it was new. Miss theatre. During intermission nobody came in to "see a man." The proprietor sent his porter across the street to see if a rival es-

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"Hum," mused the farmer, "aint it about

When Digby Bell was playing in Newark

"That's because he's lantern-jawed."

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"That's how a light to the box office and asked:
"What's how light up?"

"That's how light up?"

had a mustache on her upper lip.

"If I liked the man I'd keep quiet," she "My doctor aint a-comin', so it don't con-

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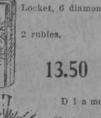
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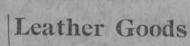
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